

TODAY'S MEETING MAY END EFFORTS AT A SETTLEMENT

GENERAL SCOTT GETS MORE INSTRUCTIONS

American Officials Are Determined Not to Consider Withdrawal, and This is All Obregon Seems Prepared to Discuss—Pershing's Troops Are All in Position of Readiness for Any Possible Attack

United Press Service

EL PASO, May 2.—A second conference between Generals Scott and Funston, and General Obregon and his staff, will be held this afternoon in the immigration station on the international bridge. Whether this conference will terminate the present negotiations is a matter of much speculation.

General Scott will advise Obregon that Washington officials decline to consent to a discussion of any other question than the working out of some method for capturing Villa and eliminating further border troubles.

It is expected that Obregon will refuse to discuss any other question than the withdrawal of American troops. Obregon this morning exchanged messages with Carranza at Mexico City. Two messengers also arrived at Juarez this morning with additional secret instructions.

Despite the present tenseness, it is not believed that there will be a break in relations. Secretary of State Lansing and Mexican Ambassador, Arredondo will in all probability carry on negotiations.

United Press Service

COLUMBUS, May 2.—General Pershing is concentrating and disposing his forces as though an attack is imminent. He asserts that he is taking no chances.

Every matter brought up at the El Paso conference is being reported to him by wireless.

Troops are being held here in full marching order, ready to move on a moment's notice. Four companies of infantry and two machine gun platoons were ordered to leave for Mexico today.

Will Observe Anniversary of Fremont's Visit Here

It will be just seventy years ago next Saturday, May 6, that General Fremont and party crossed the river at the south end of Klamath Lake on his historical expedition, following which he returned to California and took that territory from the Mexicans in the name of the United States.

This event, of so great importance to Klamath county, is to be properly observed on Saturday and the week following. The city and county governments are to be asked to officially recognize the occasion, and the Bar Association, Klamath Basin Pioneers Association and several other organizations are to participate in the celebration.

George Grisler has furnished a mammoth monument of native granite to mark the trail where Fremont crossed the river and this is to be placed and dedicated Saturday forenoon. It will be erected on the east side of the river

partemnt believe Generals Scott and Obregon can agree for better co-operation in the hunt for Villa. As yet, Baker has taken no steps to indicate he thinks the conference will have any but an amicable outcome.

It is reported here that interventionists in El Paso are endeavoring to befog the issue and influence the opinions and actions of military men. The administration is confident, though, that Scott will be able to handle the situation.

NIGHT SHIFT TO BE PUT ON SOON

EWAUNA BOX COMPANY WILL START TWENTY HOUR RUN ON MONDAY NIGHT—BIG RUSH OF ORDERS MAKES IT NECESSARY

Another nice addition is to be made to the Klamath Falls payroll Monday night, when the Ewauna Box company will put on a night crew. Applications for jobs will be considered Saturday, and Monday the mill will begin operating twenty hours a day.

The beginning of the extra shift will give employment to about sixty men. The extra shift will be used until late in the fall.

At present, the company is shipping out twenty carloads of box shooks a week. Now that the fruit season is starting in California the demand is steadily increasing.

FEMININE ELKS POSTPONE DANCE

At a meeting of the committee in charge of the dancing parties to be given by the Elks' ladies to raise funds for furnishing the ladies' quarters at the Elks' home, it was decided to postpone the dance until next Tuesday night.

The dance was to have been given Friday night. The postponement was taken to avoid conflict with the big candidates' rally at Bly Friday night, which is to be attended by many Klamath Falls people.

Dublin Postoffice Seized by Rebels, and Irish Plotter



The postoffice in Dublin, indicated by the arrow, was seized by a mob and held for several days. The picture shows a scene on O'Connell street, with the statue of Daniel O'Connell. Sir

Roger Casement, on whose head the British placed a reward of \$25,000, was caught off the Irish coast as he tried to land with Germans from a German ship. The outbreak of the Dublin mob,

coincident with his capture, was evidently a part of his plan. The photograph of him was taken while he was at dinner in Munich with St. John Gaffney, American consul there, who came back recently.

SIR ROGER CASEMENT

RUSSIA INTENDS TO STAY "DRY"

VODKA WILL BE UNDER BAN, BUT LIGHT WINES AND BEER WILL BE PERMITTED IN LIMITED QUANTITIES

United Press Service PETROGRAD, May 2.—Russia will continue "dry" after the war, so far as vodka is concerned. The limited sale of beer and light wines will be permitted.

The bill for both prohibition and limitations has been introduced in the duma and its passage is assured. The czar and his advisors approve it.

Finland is not included. "It is forbidden to produce alcohol for vodka," says the bill, "or to import alcohol."

Alcohol production for mechanical and medicinal purposes is authorized only by the government. Its sale, except by the government, is prohibited. The order against production will include individuals, even though their product be only for their own household consumption.

The sale of beer and light wines will be prohibited except in towns. Local councils may prohibit it altogether. The government also will limit the percentage of alcohol in both beers and wines.

PORTOLA-LOUVRE OWNER IS SHOT BY A WAITER

SAN FRANCISCO, May 2.—C. O. Swanberg, president of the Portola-Louvre Cafe corporation, was fatally shot yesterday by Otto Haas, a newly employed head waiter. Haas escaped.

Visit Local Relatives. Mr. and Mrs. William F. Gieseke have left for their home in Marshall, Minn., after a visit with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Plath. The Giesekes wintered in California.

MRS. C. M. HUNT IS LAID TO REST

LARGE LINE OF CONVEYANCES IN THE CORTEGE FROM CHAPEL TO PLACE OF INTERMENT YESTERDAY

The funeral of the late Mrs. Charles M. Hunt, who died Saturday afternoon, was held yesterday at Whitlock's Chapel, and was largely attended. Members of the Grand Army and of the Women's Relief Corps were present, and the ladies of the W. R. C. acted as pall bearers.

The interment was in the city cemetery. A long line of conveyances followed the remains to the last resting place.

Mrs. Mary Louisa Hunt was born April 7, 1847, in Hamilton county, Ohio. In 1868 she married Charles M. Hunt of Claremont county, Ohio, and after a short residence in Illinois they moved to Kansas, taking up a homestead, where their two sons were born. In 1908 the family moved to Klamath Falls, and has since resided in the county, one son, Oliver E. Hunt, living at Malin, and the other, Clarence G., in Klamath Falls. She became a member of the Baptist church during her girlhood, and was a member of the Emmanuel Baptist church at the time of her demise.

PORTLAND CAPITAL TO DEVELOP LAKES

LAKEVIEW, Ore., May 2.—The Pacific Chemical company, organized for the development of mineral salts from Sumner and Albert Lakes, in this county, has filed its articles of incorporation with the corporation commissioner. The capitalization is placed at \$30,000, and incorporators are C. A. Sheppard, Frank E. Smith and George A. Lovejoy of Portland. Leases on the lakes are held by Jason C. Moore of New York, but under an agreement with the state land board, these will be transferred to the new corporation.

DORRIS PLANS A BIG CELEBRATION

LARGE TIMES ON THIRD, FOURTH AND FIFTH OF JULY AT BUTTE VALLEY METROPOLIS—HORSE RACING A FEATURE

As Klamath Falls is not to have a Rodeo this year, the people of Dorris have decided to hold a big three-day celebration. As a result, several committees are hard at work making elaborate arrangements, and the citizens and business men have contributed a big sum for prizes, fireworks, etc.

The Dorris band is now organized and rehearsing. The ball grounds is being improved, and there will be games during the three days, as invitations have been issued to the Klamath Falls team and to fast teams from Northern California to join in the tournament.

Horse racing will be a big daily feature. A track is now being levelled, a grandstand is being erected, and entries are coming in from Klamath, Jackson and Siskiyou counties.

SECOND WORLD COURT CONGRESS IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 2.—The second world court congress is to be held in New York today, tomorrow and the next day, looking to the establishment of some arrangement that will not only provide an organization for the adjustment and judicial settlement of any international disputes that may arise, but will insure a lasting peace.

The first world court congress was held in Cleveland, O., in 1915. Every state in the Union will be represented in New York city at this congress, as this project, backed by some of the most prominent and influential Americans, is of general interest.

The congress will make no attempt to stop the present war, but will try to prevent future wars.

STRIKES SWEEPING ACROSS THE NATION AND THE FIGHT IS ON

ROWBOAT CAPSIZES AND FOUR PEOPLE DROWNED

United Press Service SAN BERNARDINO, May 2.—Four people were drowned in Little Bear Lake in the mountains east of here this morning. They were in a rowboat, starting on a fishing trip when the boat capsized. Five others were rescued.

CARPENTERS, BOAT CREWS AND MANY OTHERS OUT

Shingle Weavers of This District Will Strike Unless Given Better Wages. Rioting Breaks Out in Pennsylvania. Shipments of Munitions for Allies Are Tied Up by Walkout on Waterfront

CONSCRIPTION TO BE RESORTED TO

MEASURE WILL GO TO PARLIAMENT TOMORROW—WILL INCREASE ARMY HALF A MILLION. OTHER LATE WAR NEWS

LONDON, May 2.—Premier Asquith today announced in commons that the government has decided upon a policy of immediate compulsory military service.

The conscription bill will be introduced tomorrow. The announcement came as a surprise. The decision is a complete victory for Lloyd George and Lord Northcliffe.

The measure will add from 300,000 to 600,000 troops to the army.

United Press Service

CHICAGO, May 2.—A number of strikes were declared yesterday and today throughout the United States, but especially in the East. With the railway strike possibility in the near future, the commercial situation may become real serious.

Five hundred machinists struck at Cincinnati yesterday. Several of the larger shops today granted their demands.

At Akron, Ohio, a thousand carpenters struck this morning.

Two thousand machinists yesterday quit at Youngstown, Ohio. This makes a total of 5,000 men out on strike there, greatly affecting the munitions plant operations.

Sixteen hundred elevator workers at Fort William, Ontario, Canada, are also out on strike.

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SEATTLE, May 2.—A general strike of the International Shinglers Union for District No. 1, comprising the territory north of the Oregon-California line and west of the Missouri river, has been ordered in effect if mill owners refuse the demands for increased wages.

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PITTSBURGH, May 2.—Police reports say three were killed and forty injured in rioting this afternoon at the Thompson Steel company's plant at Braddock. Sheriff Richards announced that the militia will be ordered out to protect the plant.

Strikes in the other steel plant at Braddock later on are feared. From 1,000 to 5,000 men are out on strike. Extra deputy sheriffs have been sent to guard the Thompson plant.

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NEW YORK, May 2.—Thousands of tons of freight are piling up on the wharves and there is little possibility of their being moved until an agreement is reached in the strike of tugboat and barge men.

The terminals are all choked with freight. Much of this is munitions for the allies.

United Press Service

BERLIN, May 2.—Dispatches say a submarine sank the Turkish troop ship Chirkel Haire in the Sea of Marmora.

United Press Service

PARIS, May 2.—It is announced that the French captured 550 yards of trenches southeast of Fort Douaumont. Today's statement also reveals the fact that the French Sunday assaulted the German positions on Dead Man's Hill, and captured 1,000 yards of trenches to a depth of from 300 to 600 yards. The statement has created intense enthusiasm in Paris. It is taken to mean that the German drive on Verdun has been definitely checked, after continuous fighting since February 21.

United Press Service

MARSEILLES, May 2.—The fourth convoy of Russian troops arrived yesterday.

Terwilligers Visit

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Terwilliger, well known residents of the Merrill district, are here for the day.

To O' Fishin' Hole

B. F. Shepherd is now paying his annual visit to Chiloquin. He will spend a big portion of the summer up there.

Crisler Is Elected Mayor; Highway Measure Wins

C. B. Crisler is the next mayor of Klamath Falls, the city will purchase automobile fire apparatus, and the highway to Shippington will be paved. These questions were all settled at yesterday's city election, the most interesting, it might be stated, in recent years.

The vote for mayor follows: C. B. Crisler, 688; J. B. Mason, 416; A. J. Lyle, 298. Lyle made the following statement today: "I want to extend my thanks to my friends who so steadfastly stayed with me, and also to offer my congratulations to Mayor-elect Crisler and hope everybody will get in and give him a

helping hand to make a greater Klamath Falls.

A. L. Leavitt, for police judge, and Captain J. W. Siemens, for city treasurer, were not opposed. They received handsome complimentary votes.

The two measures affecting the fire apparatus purchase carried by overwhelming votes. The city is now in position to purchase an automobile chemical engine, hose cart combination, and bids on this apparatus will be opened at tonight's meeting of the city council.